

STATE OF MAINE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

March 12, 2003

TELEGLOBE USA, INC.
Request to Abandon Service
Docket No. 2003-71

ORDER GRANTING
AUTHORITY TO ABANDON
SERVICE

NEW TELEGLOBE, LLC
Petition for Finding of Public Convenience
and Necessity to Provide Service as a
[Facilities-Based] Interexchange Telephone
Utility [as a Reseller]
Docket No. 2003-72

ORDER GRANTING
AUTHORITY TO
PROVIDE FACILITIES-BASED
INTEREXCHANGE SERVICE

WELCH, Chairman; NUGENT and DIAMOND, Commissioners

On February 3, 2003, under Docket No. 2003-71, Teleglobe USA, Inc. filed a request to relinquish its authority to provide service and to abandon service. Simultaneously, in Docket No. 2003-72, New Teleglobe, LLC (an affiliated interest of Teleglobe USA, Inc.) filed a petition for a finding of public convenience and necessity to provide the same service that Teleglobe USA, Inc. is authorized to provide, facilities-based interexchange service. As a result of these two transactions, Teleglobe USA, Inc.'s current authority to provide facilities-based interexchange telephone service will terminate and New Teleglobe, LLC will, in effect, take over its authority to provide service. Teleglobe USA, Inc. presently has no customers in Maine. Accordingly, there is no customer notification requirement.

Teleglobe USA, Inc. also has asked for approval of the sale of its assets to New Teleglobe, LLC. That approval is required by 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1101. We grant that approval.

By this order we grant authority to New Teleglobe, LLC to provide facilities-based interexchange service subject to all provisions of the order granting authority to provide such service to Teleglobe USA, Inc. New Teleglobe, LLC shall file a schedule of rates, terms and conditions that reflects the corporate and name change. New Teleglobe, LLC has stated there will be no change to any of the rates or terms and conditions contained in the rate schedules and terms and conditions of Teleglobe USA, Inc.

Therefore, we

O R D E R

1. That the request, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1104, by Teleglobe USA, Inc. to abandon service is hereby granted;

2. That the petition, filed pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 2102, of New Teleglobe, LLC for a finding of public convenience and necessity to provide [facilities-based] interexchange public utility telephone service [as a reseller] is hereby granted; New Teleglobe, LLC shall be bound by and subject to all provisions, including the ordering paragraphs, of the order granting authority to Teleglobe USA, Inc. in Docket No. 1998-397;

3. That the sale of assets by Teleglobe USA, Inc. is approved pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1101.

Dated at Augusta, Maine this 12th day of March, 2003.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Dennis L. Keschl
Administrative Director

COMMISSIONERS VOTING FOR: Nugent
 Diamond

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT: Welch